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Dear Sir:

Submitted herewith is one set (one sheet, figures 1 and 2) of the replacement drawing for filing in the above-identified patent application. Kindly substitute the enclosed replacement drawing for the informal drawings submitted with the originally filed application.

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Respectfully submitted

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